Duke Memorial Methodist Church
DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA
ROBERT W. BRADSHAW, Minister
W. WARREN BISHOP, Associate Minister

Morning Worship December 27, 1964 Eleven O’clock

(Let the people kneel or bow in silent prayer upon entering the Sanctuary)

THE PRELUDE
"From Heav’n Descends The Angel Choir" Pasquet
"O Hail, This Brightest Day of Days" Bach
"Lo, How A Rose" Pasquet

THE CALL TO WORSHIP
"Lo, How A Rose E’er Blooming" Praetorius
(The congregation will rise when the choir stands for the Call to Worship)

THE HYMN 164
“All Hail The Power Of Jesus’ Name” Ellor

THE APOSTLES’ CREED

THE PRAYER
Miss Olive Jenkins

THE CHORAL RESPONSE

THE BAPTISMSAL SERVICE

THE ANTHEM
“How Far Is It To Bethlehem” Parker-Shaw

THE RESPONSIVE READING
“The King Of Glory” Page 621 Miss Mary Park Glasson

(Let the people stand immediately for the Reading)

THE GLORIA PATRI

THE SCRIPTURE READING
II Samuel 18: 29-33 Mr. Roy Teer

THE ORGAN OFFERTORY
“In Bethlehem Is Born” Walcha

THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM
“The Holy Mother Sings” German Carol

Miss Carol Upchurch, soprano

Hush Thee Child, Thy crying cease, Close Thine eyes and rest in peace.
Theo who came to bring release And healing balm to rich and poor in
Israel. Holy, Holy, Jesu, Thou whose birth in days of old, Was by prophet
bards foretold, Messiah, Prince of Peace and King of Kings, Emmanuel,
Saviour Thou of Israel. Lying in Thy lowly stall, Wise men, shepherds,
people all, At Thy feet in silence fall, With costly gifts of gold and spice
adoring. Hush Thee Child lie calm and still, Born to do Thy Father’s
will, May He keep Thee from all ill And His shall all the glory be,
Forever.

THE DOXOLOGY

THE HYMN 73
“Be Still, My Soul” Sibelius

THE STUDENT’S TALK
“Safe For Young People” Mr. Stan Coble

THE SERMON

THE CLOSING PRAYER
“God Is My Strong Salvation” Wesley

THE BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

THE HYMN 324
“God Is My Strong Salvation” Wesley

THE POSTLUDE
“In Dulci Jubilo” Bach
ALTAR FLOWERS

The memorial flowers are placed in the church today by the members of the family of the Reverend and Mrs. W. A. Wilson, Sr., missionaries in Japan for forty-two years.

CONGRATULATIONS!

A rosebud has been placed in the vestibule of the Church by the Juniors of the Church School in honor of Daniel Calvin Long, born December 19, 1964, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Long, Jr., 1419 Woodland Drive.

BAPTISM

The Sacrament of Baptism was administered last Sunday morning to Charles Cameron Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cameron Dean, Jr., 1208 Vickers Avenue. Charles is the great grandson of Mrs. W. L. Warren, a charter member of Duke Memorial Church, and of Mr. Oscar M. Pleasants.

NEW MEMBERS

We are happy to welcome into the fellowship of Duke Memorial Church the following new members:

Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Walker, 3406 Denise Street, from St. John Methodist Church, Durham.

Mrs. W. J. High, 830 Burch Avenue, from the Congregational Christian Church, Durham.

STUDENT RECOGNITION SUNDAY

Today is Student Recognition Sunday in the Methodist Church. We are proud of all our young people who are developing themselves for present and future service in their church and community. We are happy to have some of them share in the leadership of our worship service this morning, and we offer a special word of welcome to all others who are with us.

UPPER ROOM

Copies of the January-February issue of the "Upper Room" are now available from the literature racks in the vestibule.

OFFERING FOR DURHAM DISTRICT PROJECTS

The loose offering today will go for the support of certain projects in the Durham District in areas in which special help is needed. Envelopes will be found in the pew racks for those who may wish to use them today or later in making a contribution for this cause.
BUILDING FUND REPORT

In our Bulletin of December 6 we gave a report on our Building Fund receipts and disbursements, indicating that as of that date we lacked approximately $65,000 of paying the total cost. We are happy to report today that receipts during the month thus far plus the amount we will receive early in January as a refund on sales tax payments will reduce the amount needed to complete the payment for the building to just a little under $50,000. We are grateful to all who make this good report possible. We hope, and believe, that payments made this week toward the Building Fund will bring our “balance due” down to the $45,000 mark. Every payment will be greatly appreciated.

METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIPS

The MYF’s will not meet tonight, but will meet next Sunday evening at the usual time.

OUR STUDENTS

There are many of our young people who are enrolled in preparatory schools, nursing schools, colleges, and universities. This is a listing of those students from Duke Memorial: Ronald Alford, Carol Anderson, David Anderson, Sandra Lee Bradsher, Sandra Christmas, Robert Colver, Dan K. Edwards, Alice Ervin, Mary Park Glasson, Bill Griffin, Judy Guthrie, Winston Harrington, Linda Harris, Nancy Hall, Corinna Head, Jim Howard, Olive Jenkins, Nancy Lawson, Joyce Kimball, Phoebe Mathes, Anne Parfitt, Judy Pifer, Ann Pleasant, June Prescott, Anne Gray Robinson, Ray Taylor, Roy Teer, Nancy Young, Deanie Beard, Tom Best, Anne Brown, Marsha Cannada, Judy Chambers, Ted Hayes, Joan Hobbs, Tiffany Howard, Bob Ivey, Sarah Jones, Rouse Kissell, Marilyn Kuhn, John Martin, Jimmy McGhee, Ronnie Robinson, Robbie Teer, Thomas White, III, Monty Cox, Victoria Yarbrough, Nancy Anderson, Jane Beavers, Lucy Best, Susan Bissette, Stan Coble, Charles Colver, Marcus Copelan, Jr., Alice Ervin, Preston Fowler, Ronnie Griffin, Avery Hall, Bobby Haywood, Dan Hill, Jr., David Hopkins, John Jones, Jr., Larry Mathes, Carolyn Parfitt, Ellen Phillips, Ronald Pifer, Posty Postlethwait, Eddie Robertson, Margaret Walker, Philip Anderson, Glenn Bookhout, Patty Bradsher, Ralph Brown, Nat Coffin, Susan Hardy, Karen Hopkins, Bill Howard, Andy Johnson, Michael King, Hoyle Mattox, Jane Maxwell, Miriam Mathes, Linda Parks, Mina Postlethwait, Ann Thomas, John Williams, William Heizer, Robert Jeffreys, Donald McDuffie, Wescott Martin, John Noell, Kenneth Ray, Gary Smith, Carol Upchurch, and Carlyle White. This includes several young men who are in Military Service.

If there are any errors in this listing, either names omitted, or those now graduated, will you please notify the church office.

WELCOMING COMMITTEE AND USHERS

Serving as the welcoming committee for the service today are Miss Anne Parfitt and Miss Anne Gray Robinson. The ushers are: Jim Howard, Ray Taylor, Ronnie Alford, Dan Edwards, Winston Harrington, Robert Colver, Rouse Kissell and Tom Best.
EVENING SERVICE

Seven-Thirty O'Clock

THE PRELUDE

THE HYMN 129  “Give Me Thy Heart”  Bourne

THE PRAYER

THE INTERLUDE

THE SCRIPTURE READING  Acts 13: 38-50

THE OFFERTORY

THE DOXOLOGY

THE HYMN 65  “I Love To Tell The Story”  Fischer

THE SERMON  “Can God Depend On Us?”  The Minister

THE CLOSING PRAYER

THE HYMN 50  “O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee”  Schumann

THE BENEDICTION

THE POSTLUDE